Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (currently amended) Ondansetron hydrochloride dihydrate having a purity of at least about 99.0% <u>by weight</u> and an exo-methylene <u>by-product</u> content of less than 0.01% <u>by weight</u>.
- 2. (currently amended) Ondansetron hydrochloride dihydrate having a purity of at least about 99.5% by weight and an exo-methylene by-product content of less than 0.01% by weight.
- 3. (currently amended) Ondansetron hydrochloride dihydrate having a purity of at least about 99.9% <u>by weight</u> and an exo-methylene <u>by-product</u> content of less than 0.01% <u>by weight</u>.

4-51. (canceled)

- 52. (new) A pharmaceutical formulation comprising a therapeutically effective amount of ondansetron hydrochloride dihydrate and at least one pharmaceutically acceptable excipient, wherein the ondansetron hydrochloride dihydrate has a purity of at least about 99.0% by weight and an exo-methylene by-product content of less than 0.01% by weight.
- 53. (new) The pharmaceutical formulation of claim 52, wherein the ondansetron hydrochloride dihydrate has a purity of at least about 99.5% by weight and an exo-methylene by-product content of less than 0.01% by weight.
- 54. (new) The pharmaceutical formulation of claim 52, wherein the ondansetron hydrochloride dihydrate has a purity of at least about 99.9% by weight and an exo-methylene by-product content of less than 0.01% by weight.